

**ABSTRACT**

A settlement processing apparatus which easily executes a settlement processing is provided. From a customer who desires registration, a database (53) stores in advance customer specific data, which includes device identification data for identifying the  
5 customer and specifies the customer. A server communicator (51), which corresponds to a customer identification data attaining section and a purchase data attaining section, attains the device identification data and purchase data concerning the contents of a debt. An authentication section (522) compares the device identification data attained by the server communicator (51) with the customer-specific data stored in the database (53), to  
10 authenticate the device identification data. If the authentication section (522) authenticates the device identification data, a settlement processing section (523) performs a processing for settling a debt, based on the customer-specific data corresponding to the device identification data and the attained purchase data. After completion of the processing, the settlement processing section (523) processes settlement completion data  
15 indicating that the processing has been completed, making the settlement completion data be able to be notified to the customer.